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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket Number (Optional)  
A31856-PCT-USA

In re Application of Itescu

Application Number 09/509,734

Filed 06/14/2000

For METHOD FOR PREDICTING

\* see attached

Group Art Unit 1644

Examiner  
Saunders, David

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))☐ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))☐ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))☐ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))☒ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))

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\$ 1,960

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ 980☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.☐ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 02-4377  
I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.I am the ☐ applicant/inventor☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.

Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

☒ attorney or agent of record.☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).

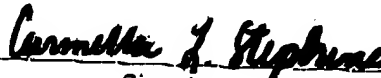
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) \_\_\_\_\_

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December 3, 2001

Date

PTO Reg No.: 41,328



Signature

Carmella L. Stephens

Typed or printed name

NOTE: Signatures of all the Inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

☐ Total of \_\_\_\_\_ forms are submitted.

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Title: METHOD FOR PREDICTING TRANSPLANT REJECTION

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